By Ms. Khan of Newton, petition of Kay Khan and Christine E. Canavan relative to further regulating the collection of data concerning nursing. Public Health.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

An Act further regulating the collection of data concerning nursing.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the
- 2 Executive Office of Health and Human Services and all agencies,
- 3 departments and boards within said secretariat, the Department of
- 4 Labor and Workforce Development, the Board of Higher Educa-
- 5 tion and any other state agency, board or department that collects
- 6 data, conducts surveys or gathers information related to the prac-
- 7 tice of nursing, the supply of nursing workforce, the supply of
- 8 nursing faculty or other nursing workforce issues shall regularly
- 9 submit said data and information to the Massachusetts Center for
- 10 Nursing, Inc.